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BETWEEN THE LIGHTS.

A tall blue eyed girl with loose, brown curls flowing from her face, like an amicle of amber brightness, and a slender throat white and smooth as mother of pearl- that was Valentine Bruce as she sat on the open French window, dreamily watching the sunset flame melt into open billows of light.

And Colonel Mordaunt smoked his despairing cigar in the fragrant shadows of the shrubbery, and wondered what fortunate mortal might be fated to buy Valentine's wedding ring and pay her millinery bills, and be her humble servitor through life.

Colonel Mordaunt cast his cigar among the cactus that skirted the lawn, and began to select a cluster of exquisite moss roses, heedless of the thorns that pierced his generous horned fingers.

She likes flowers, he soliloquized, and moss roses are certainly the prettiest flowers that grow. I will win a smile in to those sweet lips of hers.

He twisted a blade of phant grass around the mossy stems in place of ribbon, and sauntered carelessly up the gravel walk.

All of a sudden he stopped.

Frank Aldrich's voice he exclaimed biting his lips with vexation, a merry peal of laughter floated through the purpling twilight from the opening meadows beyond.

What brings the puppy here now, of all the times and seasons in the world.

Hallo, Jack! said Aldrich, been sentimentalizing on dew. The ladies were just trotting over the chances of your taking cold.

Mordaunt's face brightened up then. Valentine did think of him sometimes.

That is, pursued the relentless Aldrich, poor, thoughtful sister Kitty said she was afraid you would have a cold, and Miss Bruce said nothing.

Mordaunt's countenance elongated again. But he stepped forward and laid the knot of moss roses on the folds of Valentine's white muslin dress with a few murmured words that nobody could understand.

I'll worry yet, said Jack sanctimoniously, upon my word Jack is getting prodigal.

Valentine looked carelessly down at the cluster of pink buds, and then deliberately took them up and tossed them out upon the lawn.

Explain, if you please, said Frank composedly while Mordaunt grew scarlet and bit his lips until the blood started.

It was a worm, a horrible green worm, or one of the buds, haughtily and Valentine shaking off a few crimson petals that still clung to her dress. I have a perfect horror of all such noxious insects.

Do you hear that, Jack, appealed Aldrich, lazily turning around in his chair. It is quite a fortunate circumstance in the selection of your floral offering.

But Mordaunt had left the room before he finished him the next minute.

Don't Jack, are you vexed with Valentine and Frank? They don't mean to annoy you, I'm sure.

Not a bit, dear, said Mordaunt, speaking slowly and sadly, only I'm sorry Miss Bruce finds me so disagreeable.

He went up stairs while Kate hesitated a moment before.

He is better humored, she said mentally. Poor fellow! he's dreadfully in love, and I wish Valentine and Frank wouldn't tease him so.

And she went down to gather horse chestnuts for the parlor vases and muse over her bootless, unfold grievances.

It is very hard, so it is, she murmured, winking back the bright drops that would suffuse her hazel brown orbs. I shall talk seriously to Valentine about it this very evening.

Meanwhile Mordaunt stalked sulkily up stairs, into his sister's pretty little sitting room. He threw himself recklessly down on the sofa and threw the soft folds of Kate's cashmere shawl over him. One might almost have fancied him asleep as he lay there white and silent, with the curtain sweeping down about his motionless head.

"Katy"

Like the mournful coo of the wood pigeon Valentine's voice murmured the two syllables with the coaxing accent of a child. And in the same instant she knelt down beside the sofa, her white dress sweeping over the crimson carpet and one arm thrown carelessly over the folds of the deceitful cashmere shawl. Mordaunt's first impulse was to spring up and declare his individuality, his second to be still and let fate manage the matter to suit its own capricious self. So he lay still, accordingly experiencing a very singular and not at all disagreeable sensation from the contact of the caressing arm.

Now we are angry with us, Kate pleaded the soft voice, because I threw those flowers away. And you won't speak to me, and I know I deserve it, darling.

There was a moment's silence, as if Miss Valentine had expected some sort of response to her pretty penitence. But she didn't get any so after a brief pause, she went on.

Indeed, Katy, I did not mean to grieve you, and I won't do it again. I am sorry for my ridiculous freak. Do you suppose he was very angry, Kate.

There were strong symptoms of coming tears—a sort of quivering sob in the voice.

You won't forgive me, Kate, not if I tell you that I really do love you tall, stern brother? Only Kate, I was silly enough to want to tease him a little and test my power over his noble heart. I love him, Kate! I may tell you of it, dear, without being bold or unwomanly because you know we have often talked about his liking me a little, and, O, Kate answer me! Don't be so cold and cruel! Surely you can't be asleep!

Where are your lips, my dear, she coaxed playfully. You know you never could be vexed with me more than five minutes at a time. Why where is your hand? Where—

She sprang suddenly to her feet with a piercing scream—her wandering hand had touched the heavy mustache on which Colonel Mordaunt prided himself so specially.

He strove to catch the hand to detain the frightened beauty long enough to plead his cause in earnest impassioned words but in vain. Fear seemed literally to lend her wings. Away, like a frightened dove she flew, uttering wild, hysteric screams and fairly falling into the arms of the astonished Kitty Mordaunt who was just coming in from the star lighted garden with both hands full of dewy branches of honeysuckles.

Valentine! she exclaimed dropping the spicy blossoms, "why what is the matter? What can have startled you so dreadfully?"

'Oh, Katy, Katy! sobbed Valentine, clinging to her friend's shoulder with a nervous vehemence, 'there's a man in your room a robber—hiding under your cashmere shawl on the sofa. Oh I am nearly frightened to death!'

Katy's serene, brown eyes dilated a little then brightened into a smiling archness. "A robber! she repeated with provoking calmness. 'Nonsense, Valentine! You mistake it was only Jack, I saw him go in there half an hour ago. The idea of taking our Jack for a robber!' Katy's laugh rippled merrily at the mere fancy.

Only Jack! In the midst of her terror this possibility had never once occurred to Valentine Bruce's mind. Only Jack! The forty thieves themselves faded into nothingness before the mere idea of Colonel Mordaunt having heard all those pleadings and unconscious admissions. One moment Valentine felt as if every vein throughout her whole frame were filled with molten fire then she grew white and cold as a marble statue. Life and strength seemed ebbing away from her and for the first time in her life Valentine Bruce fainted away.

Kate Mordaunt quietly sprinkled scented water on the pallid forehead and began to unfasten the white muslin dress. As she did so a bunch of faded flowers fell from Valentine's bosom and Katy smiled to herself as she recognized the moss buds that had been so haughtily thrown out on the lawn that very evening.

I'll keep them for Jack, she said. Ah, Valentine, you'll have my sister in law yet!

How slowly the blue eyed girl stole into the breakfast room the next morning! She would cheerfully have fasted all day long sooner than enter into the presence of the Colonel, but what was the use. The dreaded first interview must be got over sooner or later so her self-vexations with downcast lashes and cheeks dyed as deep pink as the rose colored wrapper she had on. No more haughty airs and graces now, no more cool composure. She was at Mordaunt's mercy and she knew it. Now would he take a cruel advantage of her helpless distress or would he—

But just here her cogitations were stopped.

He was standing at the window looking out upon the morning sunshine that bathed the short velvety grass before the house. But he turned quickly as she entered the room with a bright welcome smile.

Valentine, he said gently, was I dreaming last night, or did I hear you say that you loved me. Oh my darling, tell me that it was not a baseless dream!

She came shyly to his arms and nestled there like a fluttering fawn, voiceless yet happy. Still he was not contented.

I want to hear it from your own lips yet again, Valentine. Say dearest, don't shrink away so pleadingly, but answer me.

What shall I say? she murmured, timidly raising her soft eyes to his face.

Tell me that you love me!

Sweeter than the full of music cascades through groves of tropic bloom softer than the thrill of nightingales in Persian valleys, the three charmed words touched his ear, and he knew that she was his for ever.

Among the guests at the dancing party given by the British minister in Washington, on Thursday evening was the minister from China Cheng Tsao Ju. He was accompanied by his chief interpreter Chin Chi Yung. The wife of the minister is not in society and receives only by card. She is only 17 years old, her husband is about 50. He is fond of social life and is frequently seen at the day receptions of the cabinet ladies and families of senators attended by the interpreter and his American secretary.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS
Macon County,
Macon County Circuit Court.
Nelson Bullard—Bill for Partition.
Public notice is hereby given that pursuant to a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term A. D. 1881 I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court on MONDAY THE 27TH DAY OF FEBRUARY A. D. 1882 at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. six (6) in Block No. three (3) in Rolling Mill third addition to the city of Decatur.

TERMS OF SALE—Seventy-five dollars to be paid in cash and the balance of the purchase money in three equal payments in three, six and nine months respectively, the deferred payments to bear interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum and to be secured by a mortgage on the premises sold and also by personal security. Said sale will be absolute and no deed will be made to the purchaser on the approval of sale by court.

Decatur Illinois Jan 18th 1882
JOHN A. BROWN
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
Pasco & Coan, Solicitors. Jan16d4w

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned proposes to commence the business of fire insurance and transact the general business of fire insurance at Decatur in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, and in pursuance of the statute of said State in force July 1st 1869, the name of said corporation is to be THE DECATUR FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, and the object for which it is formed is to transact the business of fire insurance in Macon County, State of Illinois, and that the capital stock of the corporation is to be fifty thousand dollars, and that a declaration to that effect is to be made and filed in the office of the Secretary of State, in accordance with the provisions of the charter proposed to be adopted by the said filing of the Articles of Incorporation with the Secretary of State on the 18th day of January 1882.

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MACON COUNTY
Macon County Circuit Court.
Joseph B. Bryson, Margaret B. Bryson and Nelly Bryson, complainants—In Partition—No. 11438.

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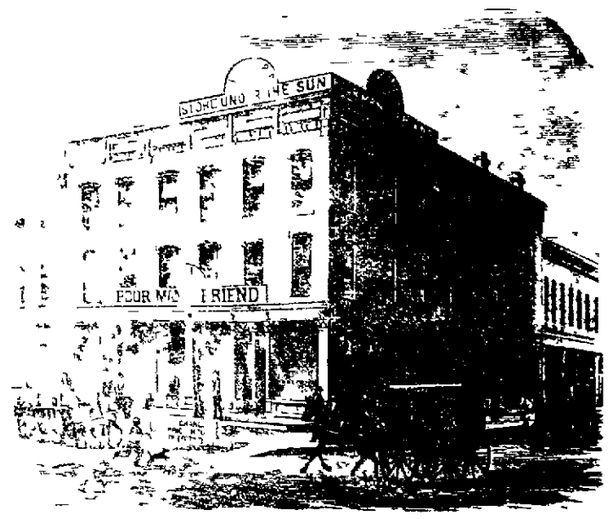

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STATE OF ILLINOIS
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The Daily Republican.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 8, 1882.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

A DISGUSTING SPECTACLE.

The telegraph brings the details of the latest public exhibition of the brutality in which a certain portion of the human family still seems to take delight—the Sullivan-Ryan prize fight that took place at Mississippi city yesterday. It is not encouraging to the lover of his race to realize that, notwithstanding all our boasted civilization, our schools, churches and newspapers, it should still be possible to excite very general public interest by such an exhibition as that in which two human bullies pit themselves against each other in a pounding match. We are prone to criticise the public sentiment which tolerates and enjoys the Spanish bull-fight, and we feign astonishment when we read that Alfonso lends the dignity of his royal presence to such exhibitions, but how much have we to boast of in the way of superiority when we substitute a man for the bull, and telegraph the particulars all over the country, as though it were an event of sufficient importance to arrest general public attention? Verily we should remove the beam from our own eye before we demand that our Spanish brother shall cast the mote from his.

The passage of the anti-polygamy bill by the House on Monday was the result of a very sharpe parliamentary manœuvre. Mr. Burrows, of Michigan, moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill, which was carried without opposition, the Republicans voting solidly in the affirmative and the Democrats refraining from voting. The attempt was then made by Bragg of Wisconsin to introduce an amendment, upon which the Democrats expected to filibuster, but Speaker Keifer blandly informed the House that, by the manner in which the motion was worded, the bill had been passed, and had gone beyond the power of the House to amend. As there has been no attempt made, thus far, to rescind the action of the House, or to take an appeal from the decision of the Speaker, it is probable that the Democratic apologists for the remaining one of the "twin relics" have found out they were caught napping. The bill provides simply that no person who practices polygamy shall be eligible to membership in the House, which, of course, rules out the Mormon, Cannon.

Once more the chronic slanderers of General Grant have been brought to bay. Without any just ground for even a suspicion of such a thing, they caused it to be given out that he was interested in the claim against Peru. They did not stop to consider that if he were, he would naturally want Mr. Blaine's positive policy enforced, but they charged this because it has become a habit. Now, however, comes the positive statement, made by authority, that General Grant has had nothing whatever to do with the matter, but stands in this case, as he has stood in all others, with clean hands before the world.

How many people cannot tell offhand how many ex-presidents are living, and many more know nothing about presidents' widows, though they were once "first ladies of the land." Mrs. Lincoln and Mrs. Garfield spring to mind at once—two women whose memories of the White House must be very sad, and for whom there is universal sympathy. A senate bill has just brought to light two other widows of presidents—Mrs. Tyler and Mrs. Polk. These ladies belong to a past generation. Washington's administration seems little more shadowy in this age than the "accidental" incumbency of John Tyler, and the "available" nomination and election of James K. Polk. A bill reported by the committee on pensions proposes to pay $5,000 a year henceforth to Mrs. Tyler. Mrs. Polk and Mrs. Garfield. Mrs. Lincoln has recently been provided for.

The Rodgers expedition, in search of the Jeannette, is in winter quarters in St. Lawrence bay, not far, comparatively speaking, from Behring's Strait, in complete ignorance of the fact that Mr. Bennett's ship came to grief two years ago, and was abandoned in the ice last June. Instructions have been forwarded to Lieutenant Berry, of the Rodgers, to exercise his discretion about pursuing the search for the missing men on the Siberian coast—concerning whose unhappy lot he will receive information by the same whaler that will carry out the order of the Navy Department—or returning to San Francisco. It is quite likely that the Rodgers, should it undertake to coast along the Siberian shore, would meet the Jeannette's fate, and that would require another expedition to be sent to the relief of her crew. Commander De Long's party can only be reached overland, if at all. After they are rescued, it will be a good time to put an end to these fool-hardy explorations.

Why don't you try Carter's Little Liver Pills? They are a positive cure for sick headache and all the ills produced by disordered liver. Only one pill a dose. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 8

Order dry stove wood of Peniwell, No. 41 North Main street. feb2d1w

The Polygamous Curse.

The following circular is being sent all over the State from Chicago:

We are to-day face to face with polygamous Mormonism, and the question is, Shall it be suppressed or shall it conquer?

The situation is critical. This winter seems to us to be, perhaps, our last opportunity to suppress it by peaceable means.

Its growth is rapid, mainly through Mormon immigration. Over a thousand missionaries are now in different parts of the world, laboring to swell their ranks. The "Book of Mormon" is not only printed in English, but in Welsh, Polynesian, Italian, Danish, French and German.

Neither the death of Brigham Young, the building of railways, the increase of the so-called Gentile population, nor the decisions of the United States Supreme Court, have weakened polygamy or kindred crimes under Mormon control.

Mormonism absolutely controls Utah, holds the balance of power in Idaho and Arizona, and menaces Colorado, New Mexico, Wyoming and Montana. Its cherished polygamy, the foul system of licentiousness—all the more hideous because practiced in the name of religion—is spreading into the adjoining territories. Utah has no territorial law against adultery, seduction, or incest. Polygamy and these kindred crimes, being common, demoralize the community at large and degrade and dehumanize those who practice them.

The leaders of Mormonism, the great apostles of lust, are teaching the doctrine of polygamy throughout the territory with renewed vigor.

George Q. Cannon, a man with four wives, who would be imprisoned for his bon-ted crimes in any State of our Union, said recently in a speech at Salt Lake City: "The Government of the United States will be powerless in the future, as it has been in the past, to enforce the anti-polygamy or any other law detrimental to the interests or progress of the Kingdom of God on earth. Nineteen years ago on the 2d of July last, the Congress of the United States passed a law to prohibit and punish the practice of polygamy in the territories. How much prohibition has the law effected? How many of us have been punished for the practice of polygamy?"

This printed quotation from his speech to ten thousand hearers in the Tabernacle shows their spirit. We see their leaders defiant and aggressive, while we have been strangely asleep to this growing evil; and now, unless the people, without regard to party, rise and demand of their Representatives its prompt uprootal, it will soon be too strongly intrenched to be overthrown by peaceable means.

Congress appears to be in doubt as to the wishes of the people, which is owing largely to the fact that the people have been slow to express themselves and show the interest they have in the question.

We have there, and throughout the country, politicians who are ready to truckle to any power for selfish purposes, and merchants who more highly value the trade of the Mormons than the present and future welfare of the country.

We earnestly suggest to you that, in your congressional district, you promptly organize committees for the holding of mass-meetings at all points; that you also institute a system of personal letter-writing and a circulation of petitions to your Congressmen; and that you correspond and organize such committees and such work throughout your State.

We further suggest that you organize special committees who shall write or personally visit other States, and shall not cease until every State is aroused.

Let there be earnest and systematic correspondence and telegraphing from Maine to California and from Minnesota to Florida, with the distinct aim of influencing Congress until such legislation is enacted as shall purge us of this leprosy.

We further suggest, in order to secure united action, and by a general movement all along the line command attention and influence, that you arrange as far as possible for meetings throughout your State on Washington's Birthday, the 22d of this month. In the cities, have meetings in different halls, and in the small towns, where there are no halls, assemble the people in the school houses, and let them consult together concerning this evil. And then have the resolutions and petitions that emanate from these meetings forwarded to the Congressman for the district.

Should you find lethargy and a lack of interest in your district on this subject, it is all the more reason why work should be done and the people awakened. We believe that good citizens everywhere will do what they can for the welfare of the country when such duty is made plain to them. We therefore earnestly request you to act at once, and vigorously urge forward the movement to stamp out this great national sin.

Signed by Thomas Hoyne, John Wentworth, Herrick Johnson, Geo. S. Willets, J. Hall Dow, and E. F. Cragin, committee appointed at the Chicago mass meeting.

There is a religious sect in England known as "God's Peculiar People," and very peculiar people they are. At an inquest upon the body of a boy belonging to this sect, who died of confluent small-pox, it appeared that no physician was summoned, but that an elder several times laid his hand upon the boy's head. The family went from the bedside to their daily occupations, ignoring the danger of spreading contagion and considering medical aid superfluous so long as they had faith in God. The jury found a verdict of manslaughter against the boy's father, and he was committed for trial.

It will pay you to see the display of Valentines at Wallace's City Book Store. Their window show is the finest ever made in Decatur. Feb. 4—d8 w1

A Brace of Love-Letters.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal.

A middle-aged lady, who lives in Chicago, has two love-letters, faded but ardent, which are not without a certain interest of their own. The strong man's hand that penned these tender effusions does not now support the gentle being who has preserved them all these years. But whether he was a rejected suitor, or whether her whitening ringlets rest upon the bosom of one more favored, or whether she be maid or widow, is not disclosed by the brief paragraph which tells of the existence of the letters in question. Perhaps the lovers quarreled, as lovers will, and parted to meet no more until one or both had made other arrangements. Perhaps there was a stern papa, a heartless mamma, a maneuvering elder sister, a blundering big brother, poverty, separation, hopeless ill-health. Who knows? Perhaps the lady has often regretted. Perhaps the gentleman yet goes to sleep dreaming of the lady. On the other hand, when she saw him driven from a little place he had earned by hard, and not very edifying work, as unfit to hold it when she heard him described as a bad man by friends and foes—she may have blessed her stars that she made so lucky an escape. Such things do happen, or, mayhap, when his fortunes were darkest she yearned most to be by his side, to strengthen and to cheer his heart, to show what a true and loving woman can do when a man is down. Heigh ho! It is certain that this lady has the letters, and that she values them. And well she may, dear heart! for the name at the bottom of them is no less than that of Chester A. Arthur, president of the United States and commander-in-chief of the armies and navies thereof!

The Prosperous Illinois Central.

The recent Illinois Central statement brought to hard pan shows that it is about $16,000,000 better off than it was fifteen years ago. It has paid during these years an average dividend of 7 per cent. The report also shows that to economy of management during the last ten years is due to a great extent the very satisfactory results recently obtained. There are some figures as to the amount spent on improving the physical condition of the property through steel rails, ballast, &c., which show that the cost of maintenance of the road and equipment has been reduced to nearly one-half. Figures go to demonstrate that, although the company has in the last five years operated 1,215 miles of road and carried nearly 70 per cent. more tonnage, it maintained the line for less money than it cost to maintain 937 miles during the years between 1866 and 1870, or in figures $5,650,568, being an annual saving of $1,133,114.15. It is chiefly by this economy in operative expenses that the net income of the road has been run up since 1877 from $2,231,590 to $3,353,000 per annum, the net average for the last two years. Stock holders claim that they are justified in asking for a dividend representing this accumulation. Whether enough of this stock is held in this country to control this matter or not, is a question. So far the company seems disinclined to listen to the idea of an extra dividend.

David Davis's Canvass.

Judd's Special.

David Davis is running his presidential campaign at the dinner table. No hasty plate of soup for him, like Winfield Scott, but five solid hours of grub and conversation. A native of Maryland, he knows the value of terrapin in the intellectual economy. It is the design while president of the senate to put under obligations at least a majority of the voting population by having them to dinner; in that way, if his liver holds out he has a sure thing on the next election. How natural it is for an old Marylander to appease all the troubles of his country in a good dinner! The old man is worth about $2,000,000, accumulated by letting other people improve his property in Bloomington, Ill., and it has often been wondered what he wanted with so much money, but now it is clear. He was preparing to dine his country seriatim. It looks a little as if the scepter had departed from Ohio for the near future, and was going further west.

If Catarrh sufferers wish to be convinced that *Catarrh can be cured*, we advise them to write Dr. C. B. Sykes, 169 Madison street, Chicago, and ask for testimonials of cures. He has any number of them and they are reliable.

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Woman's True Friend.

A friend in need is a friend indeed. This none can deny, especially when assistance is rendered when one is sorely afflicted with disease, more particularly those complaints and weaknesses so common to our female population. Every woman should know that Electric Bitters are woman's true friend, and will positively restore her to health, even when all other remedies fail. A single trial always proves our assertion. They are pleasant to the taste, and only cost 50 cents a bottle. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. d&w 2

Carter's Liver Bitters for the cure of dyspepsia, liver complaint, and all diseases caused by malaria, are made by the makers of Carter's Little Liver Pills—which guarantees their goodness. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 8

Skating Festival and Oyster Supper.

The ladies of Haworth Council No. 56, Royal Templars of Temperance, will have a grand skating festival and oyster supper at the Tabernacle, on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Feb. 8th and 9th. Mr. M. L. Parker has also kindly consented to given an exhibition of his feats on the bicycle. The Decatur Band will be in attendance and enliven the evening with some of their best selections. An elegant smoking set will be given to the best gentleman skater; a toilet set to the best lady skater, and a large cake to the poorest skater. Regular supper will be served from 5 until 11 o'clock, in addition to oysters, ice cream, cake, etc. Admission, 10 cents. feb2dtdw1

Order Indiana Block and Decatur coal of Peniwell, 41 North Main street. 2-d1w

NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

WASHINGTON NEWS

The Extent of the Howgate Embezzlement,

Gen. Hancock on his Travels

Washington, Feb. 7.—It is claimed that the worst is not yet known about the Howgate frauds. It is said that the investigation was stopped lest the exposures should break up the signal service department. Three calls have been made by the house for a detailed statement of his accounts, but none has been sent in.

The bill providing for a renewal of national bank charters, will be favorably reported to the house today.

Mr. Hook, of Tennessee, says that his state will be more surely Republican than either New York or Indiana at the next election.

General Logan, who has been confined to his house for a few days past, is better. He will probably be out to-morrow.

Another large delegation of Dakotians have arrived here to urge the admission of the territory as a state.

The house committee will report in favor of the admission of Washington territory.

It is said that the name of S. P. Rounds, of Chicago, will probably be sent in as public printer to-day. Rounds is here.

The Chinese bill did not get a hearing before the house to day, the post-office appropriation bill having precedence.

The Chinese bill in the house goes over indefinitely, giving place to the appropriation bill.

Washington, Feb. 7. The Senate Finance Committee has referred Beck's bill, to prevent the unlawful certification of checks by National banks, to the Secretary of the Treasury for his opinion. The sentiment of the committee apparently favored the bill, and if the Secretary of the Treasury approves it, and it is believed he will, the measure will be favorably reported. Mr. Beck has information to the effect that reputable banks generally desire the passage of this law. The over-certification of checks, so it is alleged, is indulged in by a few reckless banks, which are thus enabled to do a business in excess of their legitimate means, and those banks which make it a rule to comply with the law want to see all others required to abide by it. Mr. Beck says the importance of the measure is generally conceded, and he has no doubt of its ultimate passage.

The Executive Committee of the Union League of America met here to-day. Delegates were present from all sections of the country. They will call in a body on the President this afternoon.

Catlettsburg, Ky., Feb. 7. Ellis Craft was sentenced this morning to be hanged April 14. The military will take William Neal and Craft to Lexington to-night, where they will be confined till executed. A motion for a new trial of Neal and Craft has been overruled, and the case, so far as they are concerned, is settled.

New York, Feb. 7. The Stockport (England) *Advertiser*, just at hand, has the following announcement:

"Mr. Richard Sykes, of Edgely, has just concluded a big purchase of land in America. He has, according to advices lately received from Chicago, recently bought from the Northern Pacific railroad company 45,000 acres of land lying northwest and southwest of Jamestown, D. T. It is stated that Mr. Sykes intends to take out in the spring a number of English emigrants to settle on the land he has purchased, the terms offered being unusually attractive."

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 7. Gen. W. S. Hancock arrived in this city this morning at 5 o'clock. After a brief rest he visited the United States arsenal, where he was received with a salute of thirteen guns. Later he held an informal reception at the residence of Major John D. Adams, where he was visited by a number of citizens. He leaves this afternoon for Friar's Point, Miss., whither he goes to visit his son Russell, who is largely engaged in planting near that town. During the firing of the salute, a premature discharge of the cannon took place, blowing off the right arm of a man named Metz, a member of the Fourth Artillery.

San Francisco, Feb. 7. From Chinese exchanges news is only now received that on the 10th of July an earthquake occurred in the District of Kanchow, and a large number of men, women and children were killed. The earthquake was followed by a rain-storm, which inundated a portion of the country and drowned several persons.

Piracy has been frequent lately. A large native junk was attacked near Foochow, and many of the crew were killed and wounded, and the vessel beached and plundered.

A Vexed Clergyman.

Even the patience of Job would become exhausted were he a preacher and endeavoring to interest his audience while they were keeping up an incessant coughing, making it impossible for him to be heard. Yet how very easy can all this be avoided by simply using Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Trial bottles given away at Hubbard & Swearingen's Drug Store. d&w 2

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Splendid Display, and *Extraordinary Bargains.*

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A dwelling house containing five or six rooms, within four or five blocks of the old square. Address "X," REPUBLICAN office. 23-dtf.

Shellabarger's patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour sold here. dec18d&wtf

Operations on the New York Stock Exchange.

New York Letter to Utica Herald.

The immense increase in stock operations becomes the more surprising as one contemplates the advance within the last three years. In 1879 the aggregates of sales was 75,000,000 shares, but 1880 brought the amount up to 100,000,000, and the last report gives 128,000,000 shares. The commissions in this enormous traffic are estimated at $20,000,000, which is divided among the 1,100 of the regular board and the street brokers, as well as the curbstone men. Under these circumstances no one need be surprised that seats in the exchange, which last year sold at $25,000, should now be $30,000. In 1865, they were selling at $4,500, but that day great as it then seemed, was small, compared with the present colossal operations. Fortunes change hands with electric rapidity. Banks are robbed (like the one in Newark) in order to supply means for speculation. Those who once yield to mania become hopelessly under its power, and the number is constantly on the increase. Hence a vastly greater volume of business is expected at the stock board during the present year. Baldwin, the Newark defaulter, sunk the greater part of the money in Wall street, and now has a fifteen years sentence to state prison. This might, under ordinary circumstances, be considered a warning, but it will soon be forgotten, for the maddling crowd of Wall street only learns by its own experience.

The grand cheap excursion train over the Illinois Central Railroad from Decatur to New Orleans, Jacksonville, Fla., San Antonio and other points in southeastern Texas, will leave this city at 8:10 p. m. on Thursday, Feb. 9th. Fare for the round trip from Decatur to New Orleans, $20; tickets good to return in 30 days from date of sale. The train will arrive at New Orleans on Saturday, Feb. 11th, at 7 a. m. Witness the grand Mardi Gras parade, on Feb. 21st. 3 dtd

The Elder-do Social Club will give a dancing party at their hose house on Thursday evening, Feb. 9th, and it will be an invitation affair. During next month this hose company will probably give an oyster supper and festival at the tabernacle.

St. Valentine will reach Decatur early the 14th inst., and will make his headquarters at Wallace's Book Store. Their assortment of Valentines is immense, embracing besides the old familiar kinds, a full line of *Perrault's*, and many new imported styles. Prices from 5 cents to $5 each. Feb 4 d8 w1

We want your custom, and think we can offer you inducements if you will come and see us, which will be sufficient to satisfy you that our store is the best place in town to trade. Bargains are to be had every day this winter.

d&w1t Barber & Baker.

Wanted.

Position with some leading dry goods house by a young man; long experience with city trade, best reference. Address "L. S." Lock Box 9, Mattoon, Ill.

Paddy and Patti.

From the New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The similarity in the names of the famous cantatrice and the Troy pugilist was recently the cause of a ludicrous mistake. The story, as told by one of the lookers on, is as follows.

Marcus Mayer, Patti's agent, stood conversing the other day with a group of friends, when a well-known sporting man, who is an enthusiastic admirer of Ryan, joined the group.

"Mr. B.," said one of the gentlemen, "let me introduce you to Mr. Mayer, Patti's agent."

Forgetting the cantatrice, but remembering the pugilist, the party introduced said, bringing his hand down on Mayer's shoulder, "You've got a d——n good man, and he'll win the fight."

The effect of this mistake on the little party present can be better imagined than described.

Dyspeptic persons should try Carter's Little Nerve Pills. They are made especially for nervous and dyspeptic men and women, and are just the medicine needed by all persons, who, from any cause, do not sleep well, or who fail to get proper strength from their food. Cases of weak stomach, indigestion, dyspepsia, nervous and sick headache, etc., readily yield to the use of the Little Nerve Pills, particularly if combined with Carter's Little Liver Pills. In vials at 25 cents. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 8

The Monument Fund.

Subscriptions of one dollar to the Garfield Monument Fund will be received at the banking houses of Peddecord, Burrows & Co., J. Millikin & Co., Decatur National Bank, and R. P. Lytle, Postmaster.

J. J. Peddecord,
Authorized Agent for Macon county.
Dec 28 dtf

OUR BARGAIN TABLE

CONTAINS AT PRESENT

[illegible] Linen and Damask Fringed Towels, at 25 cents each, worth $1.25.

[illegible] fast color all-linen Turkish Towels, at 10 cents each, worth 12½ cents.

[illegible] dozen full [illegible] Linen [illegible] $1.25.

[illegible] dozen full [illegible] [illegible].

50 dozen full [illegible] at 25 cents.

50 dozen full [illegible] fine, 42 cts.

Horse Comb Quilts 75 cents.

[illegible] Quilts $1.25.

[illegible] per pair.

[illegible] dozen large fringed Germon Towels, at 25 cents per pair.

[illegible] dozen all linen fringed Glass Towels, at 5 cents each.

50 dozen Knit Yarn Socks, 25 cents per pair.

A large lot of Unbleached Flannel Drawers from 25 to 45 cents.

Good All-Wool Yarn 50 cents per pound.

1,000 yards 4-4 Pacific Cretonne at 8½.

Hand Stitched and Printed Bordered, All Linen Handkerchiefs, at 10 to 15 cents.

All of which will be found very cheap.

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ARE YOU MADE miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? Shiloh's Vitalizer is a positive cure. Sold by Henry Smith.

WHY WILL YOU cough when Shiloh's Cure will give immediate relief. Price 10 cts., 50 cts. and $1. Sold by Henry Smith.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY a positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria and Canker Mouth. Sold by Henry Smith.

"HACKMETACK," a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. Sold by Henry Smith.

SHILOH'S CURE will immediately relieve Croup, Whooping Cough and Bronchitis. Sold by Henry Smith.

FOR DYSPEPSIA and Liver Complaint you have a printed guarantee on every bottle of Shiloh's Vitalizer. It never fails to cure. Sold by Henry Smith.

A NASAL INJECTOR free with each bottle of Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Sold by Henry Smith.

Dec. 2 d&wsw

Beautiful Diabetes.

Youngstown, O., Aug. 6, 1881.

H. H. Warner & Co.—Sirs: Your Safe Diabetes Cure not only removed the prominent symptoms of diabetes with which I had long suffered, but restored me to full and perfect health.

Cor. Jessup Rankins.

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A. C. Sprague is now established in his office over Abel & Locke's carpet store, where he will be pleased to see all persons looking for extra bargains in city property; has also some excellent Macon county farms for sale. Call and see him.

Jan. 28 d2w

All goods marked in plain figures at Fleury, the French Cutter; it is the place to post yourself on prices. Remember the place, corner of Old Square.

Jan. 11 dawtf

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ONE NIGHT ONLY

FRIDAY, FEB. 10.

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In the Emotional Drama in Four Acts entitled

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As performed by him through out Germany, France and Sweden, and pronounced by the Press and Public to be the

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Interpreted by an organization of eminently Magnificent, composed entirely of New York Favorites, claiming distinction from as the

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Officer	Garland Thompson
Clara Selbrook	Sam Von Leer
Leo D'Angelos	Kate D. Pell
Daisy Dean	Addie Cunningham
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Act I.—Rodney Maitland's Apartments. Happy Hours, Misery and Crime.

[Between Acts I and 2 a period of [illegible] is supposed to have elapsed.]

Act II.—Home of Clara. Recognition. Remorse.

Act III.—Warren Light House. Attempt and Sacrifice.

Act IV.—Maitland's Private Office. Love and Honor. Recognized.

Frank Rayon, Manager.

Regular prices will prevail. Reserved Seats at Curtis & Co's. [illegible] for sale.

Grand Festival!

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Thursday and Friday,

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For the benefit of

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SILVER TEA SET.

And MAJOLICA TEA SET.

A grand Band of Music will be on the floor over during the evening.

Supper will be served both evenings. Dance on Friday.

ADMISSION, 10 CENTS.

Feb. 7 d&wtf

DIVORCE NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
Macon County.

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, 1882.

Virginia Owen vs. William A. Owen—In Chancery—Bill for Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the defendant, William A. Owen, defendant in the above cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to you, the said William A. Owen, defendant, that the said complainant, Virginia Owen, has filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof against you; the said defendant, and that a summons in said cause has been issued against you, the said William A. Owen, defendant, returnable at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1882, as by law required, and that said cause is still pending and will be common for said court. That unless you, the said defendant, shall personally be and appear before the said court on the first day of the 21st May term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, on the second Monday in May, A. D. 1882, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters therein stated will be taken as confessed by you, and decree will be entered against you in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. Mc LELLAN, Clerk.

Pasco & Coon, Solicitors for Complainant.
Dated February 8th, 1882—w6w

AN ORDINANCE

Amendatory of Section 8 of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Amendatory of an Ordinance providing for the Grading of Streets, Setting of Curbs and Planting Trees upon Streets."

Sec. 1. *Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Decatur.* That section 8 of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Amendatory of an Ordinance Providing for the Grading of Streets, Setting of Curbs and Planting Trees upon the Streets," passed June 9th, 1879, be, and the same is amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 8. Any person who shall ride or drive or suffer any animal to go upon or over that part of any graded street in the city between the sidewalk and the ditch on either side thereof shall be subject to a penalty of not less than ten dollars, nor more than one hundred dollars, for each offense.

Passed Feb. 6, 1882.
Approved Feb. 8, 1882.
Published Feb. 8, 1882.

H. W. WAGGONER, Mayor.
Attest: Geo. P. Hardy, City Clerk.

They Must Go!

200 Sacques and Dolmans, Plain Beavers, Diagonals, Silk-Lined Satin de Lyon,

MUST BE SOLD IMMEDIATELY,

All reduced to the Best Bargains that YOU EVER SAW.

JUST RECEIVED,

40 New Light Sacques and Surtouts, at lower prices than ever before.

20 Sets Genuine Mink Furs (muff and boa) at $10 to $25, ALL AT ONE-THIRD LESS than ever offered in Decatur.

Do not fail to see the Best Corset for $1.00 ever shown; our former $1.00 Corset reduced to 75 cents.

JUST IN.

Beautiful Lace Collars, New Styles. Fine Handkerchiefs from 5 cts to $1.
Elegant Laces, all prices, from 5 cts to $5 per yard. Stock Handkerchiefs from 25 cts to $1.
Linen " " 5 cts to $1.

Large Stock Hoods and Mittens.

And hundreds of other Dress Articles that take space to enumerate.

F. L. HAYS & CO.

Dec 2 d&wtf

We carry the Largest Assortment of

WATCHES, CLOCKS,

JEWELRY, SILVERWARE,

And NOVELTIES in our line in Decatur. Our stock this fall is VERY LARGE, and embraces many Styles found nowhere else in this city.

OUR PRICES ARE ALWAYS THE LOWEST

And all Goods sold will be

Guaranteed Just as Represented.

Do not buy anything in our line until you have seen our stock and learned our prices.

W. R. ABBOTT & Co.

DECATUR'S RELIABLE JEWELERS.

Dec 2 d&wtf

CASH HAT STORE

HATS. SHIRTS. UNDERWEAR.

KEELER, the Hatter

No. 20 East Main Street.

Spring Styles Ready Feb. 20th.

Feb. 2, 1 82 dtf

FOR SALE!

One Week Only,

$1250,

The New Dwelling Property on the Northeast corner of East Eldorado and Witt Sts., opposite House of Prayer.

$600 of the purchase money can remain on mortgage for 1 to 5 years at 8 per cent., if desired. Abstract furnished without cost to purchaser.

WARREN & DURFEE.

Jan 28, 1882 dtf

H. Pasco, Notary Public. J. J. Coon.

PASCO & COON

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

SOLICITORS IN CHANCERY, WARRANTS AND ATTORNEYS AND DEALERS IN REAL ESTATE

Office over Bisbee's Store, 15 East Main street. Pensions, Bounty and Patents obtained.—Prompt attention to Law, Chancery, Collections, and Probate Business. Deeds, Mortgages, Contracts, and all kinds of Legal Instruments, written and Acknowledgments taken. Title to Land examined and Abstracts furnished. Farm and City Real Estate bought and sold. Office hours from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M.

Feb. 8, 1882—d&wtf

JOHN C. DUPEE,

Patent Solicitor and Mechanical Draughtsman.

Office with H. W. Hill & Co., corner of West Main and Church streets, Decatur, Illinois. P. O. Box 709. d&wtf

FARM FOR SALE.

I offer for sale my Farm, four miles northeast of Oakley, containing 140 acres—80 of prairie, with a mile of tile drain, and 60 of good timber. The improvements are a good house and good barn, good fences, some fruit, good well; also, running water the year round. Price $36 per acre, cash. For further particulars enquire on the premises.

Jan. 19—w2w WM. T. DOYLE.

$66 a week in your own town. Terms and $5 outfit free. Address H. Hallett & Co., Portland, Maine. Feb5-d&wly

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
Macon County.

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, 1882.

Paul S. Lee vs. John Y. Scott et al.—In Chancery—Bill for Partition.

Pursuant to an order entered in the above entitled cause in said court, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1882, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said county, will on MONDAY, the 20th DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1882,

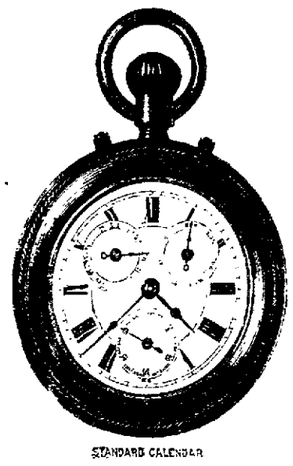
at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, at public auction, sell at the West door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The south half of the south east quarter (s ½ of s e ¼) of section [illegible] in township [illegible] north, range two [illegible] east of the third principal meridian, containing eighty acres, more or less, also the south half of the south east quarter (s ½ of s e ¼) of section four (4), in township [illegible] north, range [illegible], east of the third principal meridian, containing eighty acres, more or less, also the south west quarter (s w ¼) of section four (4), in township [illegible] north, range [illegible] east of the third principal meridian, containing [illegible] acres, more or less, also the north half of the north east quarter (n ½ of n e ¼) of section three (3), in township [illegible] north, range [illegible] east of the third principal meridian, containing eighty acres, more or less, also the north west quarter (n w ¼) of section three (3), in township [illegible] north, range [illegible] east of the third principal meridian, containing [illegible] acres, more or less, also the south half of the south east quarter (s ½ of s e ¼) of section [illegible], in township [illegible] north, range [illegible] east of the third principal meridian, containing [illegible] acres, more or less, also the north half of the north east quarter (n ½ of n e ¼) of section [illegible], in township [illegible] north, range [illegible] east of the third principal meridian, containing [illegible] acres, more or less, also the north west quarter (n w ¼) of section [illegible], in township [illegible] north, range [illegible] east of the third principal meridian, containing [illegible] acres, more or less, also the south half of the north east quarter (s ½ of n e ¼) of section [illegible], in township [illegible] north, range [illegible] east of the third principal meridian, containing eighty acres, more or less, also the north half of the south east quarter (n ½ of s e ¼) of section [illegible], in township [illegible] north, range [illegible] east of the third principal meridian, containing eighty acres, more or less, also the south half of the north west quarter (s ½ of n w ¼) of section [illegible], in township [illegible] north, range [illegible] east of the third principal meridian, containing eighty acres, more or less, also the north half of the south west quarter (n ½ of s w

GREAT SALE

OF

WATCHES!

We are Still Offering Watches at the Low Prices of December and January.



STANDARD CALENDAR

In order to take advantage of all the discounts given Jobbers, we made contracts for great numbers of all the makes of American Watches, to be delivered during December, January and February. We have been making a

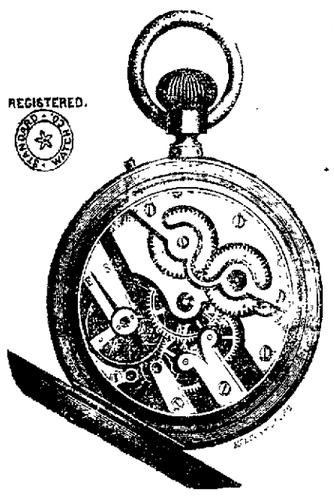
SPECIAL SALE

of these goods for two months, and will continue during this month. We do this in order to enable us to handle these large quantities of Watches, and thereby get the discount ready to be had by the one who can handle enough Watches to RANK AS A JOBBER.

These goods include all grades of ROCKFORD, ELGIN, WALTHAM, SPRINGFIELD HAMPDEN & HOWARD, and a large assortment of Foreign Watches.

If you want a good Watch we can save you money by selling you

DO NOT KEEP any "Spide Watches for trading purposes."



REGISTERED.

WE WARRANT EVERY WATCH COMPLETE.

Otto E. Curtis & Co.,

Leading Jewelers of Illinois.

ABEL & LOCKE

ARE SELLING THEIR

$1 Brussels and Ingrain Carpets

THAN YOU EVER SAW FOR THE MONEY

Their Store is Full of Novelties in the Carpet Line.

100,000 Rolls Wall-Paper in Stock

BEAUTIFUL, BEAUTIFUL, BEAUTIFUL STYLES

S. G. Hatch & Bro.,

- 10 MERCHANT STREET.

Will continue their unprecented CHEAP SALE

TWO WEEKS LONGER,

And then comes Stock-Taking. We are determined, and shall make an extra effort, to REDUCE our large stock of

DRESS GOODS,
CLOAKINGS,
PLUSHES,
VELVETS and
WINTER HOSIERY.

What few Dolmans, Cloaks, Ulsters, Circulars and Children's Cloaks we have left will be closed out

WITHOUT REFERENCE TO COST OR VALUE!

Come and get them at your own price.

Remember, No. 10 MERCHANT ST.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.

Jan. 23, 1882—d&w

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.

Per week, payable to Carrier, ... *15 Cts.*
One year, in advance, ... *$7.00*
Six Months, " *3.50*
Three Months, " *1.75*

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 8, 1882.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

CHANDELIERS and Lamps, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co's.

PRAYER meetings at all the churches this evening.

GET seats for "A Life's Mistake" Friday evening.

THE trade in Valentines is beginning to boom up.

ELDORADO ball to-morrow (Thursday) evening.

THE *Leonard hall masque* will take place one week from to-morrow night.

LET your wants be known in the REPUBLICAN'S "Want Column."

THE veterans will meet at the court house Friday night.

READ the load-yard ordinance in this issue, and keep your stock off the grass.

THE new play, "A Life's Mistake," is making a great "hit" wherever it is played.

SEE all sorts of house hold novelties at Abel & Locke's carpet store.

OWING to the necessary preparations now in progress for Prof. Leonard's second *bal masque* on the night of the 16th, there will be no assembly to-morrow night at Guards Armory. Get ready for the 16th.

BRICK pavements are not popular just now for much mud on them. Clean off the sand.

THANKS to Mr. and Mrs. Einstein for a box of the delicious cake from the Graham Einstein wedding this morning. It was elegant.

SADDLE Rock oysters Big Fat Fellows at Miller's. d-4t

BLOOMINGTON has decided to use for street paving the red cedar blocks six inches long and placed endwise.

THE ladies will call on you during the week to contribute something for the firemen's festival, to be held at the tabernacle next week. 8-d2

SLIPSHOD boots and shoes for wet weather at L. L. Ferriss & Co's.

THE Lincoln Coal Mining Company is now hoisting about 350 tons of coal per day on an average, and the file works are also worked to the utmost.

OPEN a Chestnut No. 1 hard coal of Penny & Co. 41 North Main street. 2-dlw

THE premature death of Harry Maxwell is very sad. Less than three weeks ago he was on duty at the Challis store in opera block.

EACH member of the Neil Burgess company says the Canfman dramatic company is one of the strongest and best on the road, and is deserving of liberal patronage. See "A Life's Mistake."

YOUNG state buckwheat flour at Penny & Co's, No. 41 North Main Street. feb2-dlw

VISIT the tabernacle this evening. The ladies of the Royal Templars of Temperance will give you a warm welcome. Patronize the lodge fair and festival and witness the roller skate.

SHELL oysters nice and fine all alive, at Miller's lunch room. d-4t

CHEAP enough. The L. D. & S. folks will on Feb. 15th commence selling tickets to the great musical festival at Cincinnati, for $10.70 for the round trip, tickets good to return up to and including Feb. 20th. Remember the round trip fare from Decatur to Cincinnati will be $10.70. No tickets sold after the 18th. 8-dtd

THE Decatur Band will give plenty of new music next season. They have the "Discovery" music complete.

CALL for Schroeder's celebrated Bohemian cigars. All first class dealers sell them.

THE double store of L. L. Ferriss & Co. fronts on Main and Water streets.

THE cob-pipe mania is on the increase. A firm at Lincoln has received an order to an St. Louis for 500,000 cobs. They pay a quarter of a cent for good merchantable cobs, fit to manufacture into pipes. It will take ten cars to transport them down to the city by the father of waters.

SECURE your seats at Curtis & Co.'s for a "Life's Mistake," at the opera house on Friday evening.

HAVE you seen the "Solid Comfort" Chair? It is the best and cheapest rocking chair in the market; the very thing for the family circle. Call at Liddle's and see this new article of household comfort. Feb. 6 d3me

ALBERT SCANLAN is home from Streator, Ill. He says he saw Alex. Caufman in "A Life's Mistake," there one night this week, and says that the play is the best he has seen this season.

GREAT reduction of prices in Merchant Tailoring for the next forty days at Fleury the French Cutter, corner of Old Square. Jan. 11 d&wtf

ONE of Walter Pope's express wagons lost a wheel on North Main street, and this morning there was a tongueless wagon on the same street. Rough traveling. Both wagons laid up for repairs.

ORDERS for DECATUR NUT COAL, screened, promptly filled by R. McClelland. Telephone at Cole Bros.' drug store. jan13-dtf

ABEL & LOCKE offer big bargains in carpet goods. Their stock is large and varied.

E. S. GREEN has established a telegraph institute at Cerro Gordo. There are ten local offices in the town, and at last accounts Mr. Green had 17 students learning to sling lightning.

LEAVE orders for Soft Coal at George Strohm's grocery store. Jan. 31 d2w ED. MARTIN.

CORN, oats, baled hay and all kinds of mill feed at Peniwell's, No. 41 North Main street. feb2-dlw

WE BUY for cash, buy cheap, sell on low margins, try to get the best made and most durable goods that we can find; try to please our customers, never make any misrepresentations knowingly, always willing to correct mistakes, want your trade. Come and see us; we are always glad to see old friends and make new ones. BARBER & BAKER. d&wtf

SUITS put up to order at astonishing low prices at Fleury, the French Cutter, corner of Old Square. Perfect fit guaranteed to everybody. jan11d&wtf

GRAHAM—EINSTEIN.

A Notable Marriage This Morning at the Palace Hotel—The Gifts

A joyous wedding occurred this (Wednesday) forenoon at 9:45 o'clock at the Palace Hotel, in the presence of a large company of friends of the contracting parties. The ceremony was solemnized in the apartments of the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. M. Einstein on the third floor of the hotel, by Elder John W. Tyler, of the Christian church, and the contracting parties were Miss LAURA EINSTEIN, an accomplished young lady and a favorite in Decatur society, and Mr. JOHN W. GRAHAM, a prosperous young lumber dealer who is in business at Louisville, Ky. The room in which the wedding took place was most beautifully adorned with pictures, fresh smilax and ferns and cut-flowers, and the young couple stood beneath a lovely horseshoe of white and pink flowers. The bride was handsomely attired in a traveling dress of sapphire blue, gold ornaments. The congratulations were hearty, the groom leading off by kissing the bride. Among those who pressed forward to offer their best wishes were Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Race, Mr. Sol. Einstein, Hon. and Mrs. L. L. Haworth, Captain Byron Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Churchman, Mrs. J. W. Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bruck, Mrs. L. W. Hurd, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Andress, Miss Flora Race, Miss Hattie Hardy, Miss Alice Priest, Mr. and Mrs. David F. Churchman, Mrs. Gamble, Jackson Shinneman, Mrs. McCutcheon, Misses Annie and Mollie Laux, Charles W. Tyler, Bert J. Hardy, Mr. Smith, Miss McAllister, the father and mother of the bride and others. The wedding breakfast was served in the dining room of the hotel, and there were 42 plates on the L shaped table for the accommodation of the bridal party, and the guests. The breakfast was prepared under the personal supervision of Mrs. N. Laux, and it was in keeping with the quiet elegance of the notable social event. The spread embraced everything that could possibly tempt human appetite. The feast under the skillful management of Mr. and Mrs. Laux speaks well for the Palace hotel. The bride's cake given by Mrs. L. L. Haworth completed the bill of fare, and the favor was particularly prized by the mother and bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham soon after 11 o'clock spoke their farewells, and took their departure for Louisville, Ky., on the noon train. On Sunday next the couple will leave Louisville by steamer for New Orleans, where they will witness the *Mardi Gras* festivities. On their return in March they will make their future home at Louisville.

The REPUBLICAN extends its best wishes to the happy pair.

THE GIFTS.

The bride received a costly array of useful and beautiful presents:

An improved Steinway piano, from father of the bride.
Diamond ring, from mother of the bride.
Beautiful pearl handle white satin fan, Mrs. W. C. Andress and Mrs. McCutcheon.
Pair of opera glasses, gold and pearl, in case, Hon. and Mrs. L. L. Haworth.
Beautiful Brussels lace, Miss Adele Shellabarger.
Heavy lace collar, with pink satin bow, Mrs. J. R. Race.
Large statuary bronze and marble clock, from the bridegroom.
Pair of companion bronze and marble candlesticks, Mrs. John Graham, mother of the bridegroom.
Full set of solid silver teaspoons, forks and table spoons, in satin lined case, from Aunt Carrie and Uncle George.
Beautiful celluloid toilet set, in case, Miss M. L. Cutler.
Large center table photograph album, with photos of the bride's Decatur friends, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bruck.
Globe butter dish, silver, Mr. Shinneman, Cold Water, Mich.
Blue inkstand, decorated, Mattie and Arthur Gamble, Chicago.
Elegant silver and gold-lined water set, three pieces, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Graham, Louisville, Ky.
Pair of bronzed dragon candle sticks, Byron Barrett.
Hand painted Placque, Mrs. L. W. Hurd, Peoria.
Engraved silver napkin rings in case, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Weiler, Minneapolis, Minn.
Boat shaped silver and gold lined caster, C. R. Smith, St. Louis, Mo.
Silver berry spoon in case, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Carson.
Silver pie knife in case, Edwin B. Bacon.
Very pretty silver card receiver, Louis Nesbitt.
Beautiful silver fruit basket, J. W. Heck and Miss Anna Gatewood.
Elegant silver and gold lined water set, three pieces, from Sol and Mannie.
Handsomely ornamented silver cake basket, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Fish.
Lace handkerchief, Miss Allie Priest.
Beautiful globe shaped silver butter dish, Mr. and Mrs. David F. Churchman.
Perfumery in satin case, Miss I. Rainey.
Beautifully hand painted placque, Miss Flora Race.
Pair of decorated bouquet vases on silver stand, Grandpa and Grandma Churchman.
Blue satin and lace chair tidy, Miss Annie Laux.
Satin and lace pin cushion, Master Gamble, Chicago.
Very beautiful center table, Mrs. M. Gamble, sister of the groom.
Beautiful steel engraving in ebony and gold frame, Miss B. L. Graham, Louisville, Ky.
Handsome toilet set, blue and pink satin delicately embroidered, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Bear.
Kensington embroidered tidy, neatly marked, Miss Kate McAllister.

Cards and telegrams of regrets and congratulations were received from Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Horner, Chicago; "Sol and Mannie," Chicago; J. W. Bashforth, Quincy; Miss Fanny Wright, Chicago; Mrs. W. C. Johns, Philadelphia, Pa.; S. B. Winholtz, Chicago; E. D. Davis, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose and family, Chicago; Miss Adele Shellabarger, Cincinnati, and others.

ON Feb. 17th, bids for the position of steward of the poor house and farm and for county physician for one year, commencing March 1st, will be opened in the county clerk's office.

THE revival meetings are still in progress. You are invited to visit the U. B. church and Stapp's Chapel this evening.

Cash Hat Store.

I will sell all kinds of Hats, Shirts, Underwear, Gloves, Scarfs, etc., at very low prices for 30 days.

Feb. 8 d&wtf KEELER, Hatter.

A State Convention

Hon. A. J. Strecter, G. F. Harding, David Wood and others have called a state convention to meet at Springfield on March 15th for the purpose of organizing a state vigilance committee to detect, report and prosecute violations of law by corporations, and to adopt such measures as will insure justice from the agents of laws of the state. The names of the Macon county anti-monopolists appear on the call for the convention.

"There's Millions in It."

The other day the writer was permitted to glance at a deed for what is thought to be a rich mining claim near Freeland, Clear Creek county, Colorado. The owners of this claim, which is called the "Standard Lode," are Messrs. Thomas A. Pritchett and A. W. Wells, of Niantic, this county, P. P. Walsh, of Beardstown, Ill., and B. F. Wells, of Colorado, brother of A. W. Wells. This lode is located in a rich gold, silver and lead district, and the owners have great expectations of finding gold in paying quantities. The shaft is 20 feet deep. Next spring Mr. Pritchett will visit the claim and take with him a good lump of cash to prosecute the search for ore. The wags around Niantic call the claim the "Sandy Lode," but Mr. Wells looks earnest as he says "There's millions in it!"

The Plot of the Play.

An exchange gives the following outline of the drama that is to be presented in Decatur on Friday evening next by the Alexander Canfman combination:

The play of "A Life's Mistake," performed last evening at the Grand Opera House, justified all that was said of it in advance. It is a strong piece, and gives ample scope for powerful acting. Mr. Canfman, the principal character, as *Eugene Lazare*, discovered a high order of talent in his personation. He is the discarded husband of a woman of fashion, a great prima donna; alone and friendless Lazare, to save himself from starvation, enters a house to procure food; he is detected by the occupant, and a struggle ensues, in which Lazare, to save his own life, stabs the other, not fatally, and is sent to prison for thirty years. At the end of twenty years he is discharged and returns. Then comes the final denouement, which must be seen to be appreciated. Miss Kate D. Pell, in the part of *Lou'd Angeles*, was very fine. She was presented with an elegant floral tribute, while Mr. Canfman and Miss Sarah Von Leer, who took the part of *Chirn Selbrook*, were both called before the curtain. The play will be repeated to-night.

Admission 35 and 50 cents; reserved seats, 75 cents.

PERSONAL MENTION.

BOB MOORE, at Fred Normann's, won't bet on thermometers.

S. A. Lancaster has recovered from his illness.

Henry Smith, the druggist, was on the sick list yesterday.

Dr. J. L. Connelly, of Harristown, was in the city yesterday, and talked Jersey cattle in the REPUBLICAN sanctum.

Cyrus S. Robinson represented Decatur at the great Sullivan Ryan prize fight which took place in Louisiana yesterday.

J. Smith Falls, the jolliest glassware salesman on the road, was in the city yesterday.

M. G. W. Stoddart, manager of the Neil Burgess Company, says the Alexander Caufman Co. is a first-class one and that the play is fine.

John H. Jackson, the boss packer of E. D. Bartholomew & Co.'s queensware store, is in St. Louis, the guest of his brother-in-law, Harry K. Jones.

Great grief! Read this "personal" from the Springfield *Monitor* of the 7th: "Henry Crea and Jason Rogers, Esqs., of Decatur, were among the numerous attorneys who were called to the city on professional business."

Justice Curtis has been confined to his house, by illness since Monday, and is not in his office to-day. He had a rough time of it Monday night. Two physicians visited him last evening. He was reported resting more comfortably this morning.

John W. Hill, of Champaign, collector of internal revenue for this (the 7th) district, D. W. Lusk, of Springfield and Major Rama, of Pope county, internal revenue agents, were in the city yesterday, and paid the REPUBLICAN office a friendly call.

THE residence part of the county jail was the scene of general social enjoyment last night. It was the occasion of a genuine surprise party visitation, in honor of Mrs. W. W. Foster, and the 25 couples, who had assembled at Peter Loeb's home, stormed the jail at an opportune moment, causing the genial Sheriff and his hospitable helpmeet to surrender unconditionally. The party came well supplied with edibles, and the spread was one "fit for the gods."

A LARGE audience greeted the second appearance of the Neil Burgess "Widow Bedott" Combination in Decatur last evening. The entertainment was all that was promised, the loquacious widow and the Timothy 10th-16th Elder keeping everybody laughing from the rise to the fall of the curtain. Burgess takes the leaves off the bush as a great character actor, and through his efforts has Nasby's naughty way proven a success east and west. Come again.

SULLIVAN, the Boston bruiser, whipped Englishe Tipperary thumper in Louisiana, yesterday, in 26 minutes, eight rounds being fought. The telegraph says great crowds of people attended the "mill." The challenge money was $2500 a side. The fight was the all-absorbing topic of conversation among the sporting fraternity in Decatur last evening. A Tipperary man got a private telegram giving the result of the contest.

THE Great Barnum and London Show will exhibit a herd of ten Giraffes the coming season. A New York bummer upon hearing this sighed, "Oh, for such a combination of neck to feel a morning cocktail glide gently down." To which a barber replied "neckst."

THE Rescues would be pleased to have you attend their anniversary ball at Guards' Armory on the evening of the 14th. Procure your tickets at once from Charles Hartley, Fred. Litterer, Fred. Mueller, or any member of the company.

FEBRUARY 16th is the date of the entertainment to be given by home talent at the opera house for the benefit of the St. John's organ fund. The Episcopal folks will have a large and handsome organ in their church ere long.

GIVE something to help the firemen's festival, to be held at the tab. on Thursday and Friday of next week. 8-d2

Highest Prize Port Wine.

The best wine in the country, that took the highest premium at the Centennial, is Speer's Port Grape Wine, which has become the most celebrated product of New Jersey. This wine and his P. J. Brandy are now being used by physicians everywhere, who rely upon them as being the purest to be had. It is unsurpassed for weakly females, consumptives and old people. Mr. Speer's vineyards are situated on a brown stone shale soil which is full of iron. For sale by W. C. Armstrong. 7 d2w

CAN Catarrh be cured? Yes, certainly, "Dr. Sykes' Sure Cure" will cure it. 25—d&w1w

Imported Stock at Harristown.

Mr. A. H. Eyman and Mr. R. M. Hamilton, of Harristown, have recently purchased of Col. Robert Holloway, of Monmouth, Ill., the imported Clydesdale stallion "Mazeppa," paying for him $2500. He is pronounced by good judges as being one among the best Clydesdale stallions that has been imported for several years. He will be four years old in June, weighs close to 2,000 pounds, a beautiful dark bay in color, with little white in face, with as good bone and grand a leg as was ever stuck on a Clydesdale horse. This is a monster, yet handsome, lively and active. He was the winner of two valuable prizes in Scotland, gaining the first prize of one hundred pounds at the agricultural show at Penrith; also at Edinburg in 1881. Anyone wishing the services of such a horse would do well to take a look at him before going elsewhere.

John P. Holmes, our retired merchant who has sold out his interest in the Peck & Holmes store has purchased from M. Miller of Beecher, Ill., four head of Herefords, one male and three females, two of the latter imported animals. It has not been our good fortune to see them yet but we are assured that they are very fine specimens of their breed. We understand that Mr. Holmes will devote his entire time to his cattle and farming interests: "get married John." We will put Harristown against any town in Central Ill., or the State of Ill., for that matter, in the way of thoroughbred stock. We have in the horse line, Breeders of Thoroughbreds, Clydesdale and Normans. Cattle, Short Horns, Herefords, and Jerseys. Sheep Cotswolds, Southdowns and Merinos. Hogs Berkshires, Poland Chinas and Jersey Reds. READ.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post Office at Decatur, Macon County, Ill., for week ending Feb. 8, 1882.

Burks John R	Park Miss Ida
Boon Miss Louisa	Plunket Louisa
Carter Frank	Plehn Michael
Cantwell Dr J Y	Parks Mrs Rachel
Coleman Miss Mollie	Phillips R D
Danner Miss Minnie	Page Thomas
Elibe Miss Ella	Raymond Daniel
Eich Jake	Ruby G W
Everitts Sarah	Ryan Miss Kate
Fisher Miss Annie M	Riley Miss Mary
Florey W	Rogers Oliver M P
Grouss George	Shoemaker Chroe
Gregory Warren	Shell Frank
Hartman J H	Scott Miss Lizzy
Hall S F	Schroch W H
Howell T	Stephens Charles E
Johnson Elder	St Clare Emma
Long George	Swimmer Lottie
Laio Minnie L	Smith M E
Leasley Thomas	St Louis Thomas
Lanius W B	Press Adam
Murray Catherine	Tidd Jane
Miller George W H	Thomas Mrs S C
Myers Miss Lecie	Teft James P
Morrison M	Thompson Maud
Martin Margaret	Westbrook E P
Mills Miss Tilla	Williamson Julia
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McOntre G B	Wright M S

Zeigler George

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Feb. 2 - dlw w1

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Jan. 30 dlw ANDREW M. GORVER.

ANOTHER car of choice eastern apples received at Young Bros.' to-day. jan18-dtf

DIED.

In this city, on Tuesday night, Feb. 7, 1882, of brain fever, HARRY, son of John M. and Annie Mattox, in the 7th year of his age.

In this city, at his late residence on Franklin street, of general debility, at 6:45 a. m. Wednesday, Feb. 8, 1882, LOUIS TAENER, Sr., aged about 50 years.

The deceased was born in Wurtemburg, Germany, and came to Decatur in 1858. He leaves a widow and three children. The funeral will take place from the German Lutheran church on Friday, at 2 p. m., Rev. Landgraff officiating.

In this city, on South Water street, on Wednesday, Feb. 8, 1882, of typhoid-pneumonia, DEL. FORNWALT, aged 19 years.

The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon at about 2 o'clock.

In this city, on Tuesday, Feb. 7, 1882, of consumption, after a brief illness, WILLIAM H. MAXWELL, aged about 29 years.

The deceased was a son of Alfred and Nellie Maxwell, and a grandson of Rev. D. P. Bunn. He was lately in the employ of C. W. Challis and was formerly with T. H. Wingate. The funeral will take place this afternoon from the family residence, on the southeast corner of North Main and William streets.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at McWhorter & Robins Commission Premises, at 1 p. m. Yesterday.

CHICAGO, Feb. 8.

Wheat — $1.30 February; $1.29⅞ March; $1.30¾ April; —— May.
Corn—38½ February; 38¾ March; 04¾ April; 04 May.
Oats—41 Feb; 41¼ March 41⅝ April; 41⅝ May.
Pork—$18.47½ Feb; $18.55 March; $18.75 Apr
Lard—$11.25 Feb; $11.32½ March; $11.47½ Apr.

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Hogs—Estimated receipts, 32,000. Shipments 6,888. Light hogs, $6.25@6.65; mixed, $6.15@6.65; heavy, $6.70@7.30.

	Receipts.	Shipments.	On Sale.
Wheat	26,357	8,343	70
Corn	222,711	171,357	202
Oats	187,981	96,572	72
Rye	4,196	1,426	7

TOLEDO, Feb. 8.

Corn—37¾ Cash; 40¼ April; 40⅝ May; 43¼ June.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.

Wheat—$1.41¾ to $1.42 Cash; $1.45¾ March.
Corn 67¼ Cash; 71¾ May.

WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 75 cents, paid for in advance.]

WANTED—A good German girl to do general house work. Call at SILAS PACKARD'S residence, 4th Main street. 8d1w

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FOR SALE—A full-cabinet Singer sewing machine, in good repair. Call and see it at the Intelligence Office, over Armstrong's drug store. Houses rent; situations furnished; help supplied. 8d5* W. B. DAVISON.

NOTICE.—I hereby give notice to all persons that I will prosecute, to the full extent of the law, any one who gives or sells any intoxicating liquors to my husband, Charles Adderly. Unless just what I say. MARY ADDERLY. feb8d6t

WANTED—TO RENT—Three or four rooms in a house with another family. Address D. at this office. feb8d6*

FOR SALE—A lot of household furniture, cooking-stove, extension table, cabinet organ, chairs, etc. Apply at residence of I. M. HILL, East Eldorado street, opposite Rolling-mill Chapel. feb8d6*

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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING EAST.

No. 6, Through Express	7:05 a. m
" 8 Atlantic Express	12:00 m
" 2, Lightning Express	10:55 p. m
" 8, Benger Accommodation	7:00 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East	10:30 a. m
Going "	7:35 p. m
Going "	4:00 a. m

GOING WEST.

No. 5, Fast Line	1:05 a. m
" 7, Jacksonville Accommodation	8:50 a. m
" 3, Fast Mail	3:40 p. m
" 1, Through Express	7:05 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets.

Going west	1:15 p. m
Going "	10:30 p. m

Chicago Division.

On and after Sunday, May 15th, 1881, trains will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. R'y by way of Ivesdale:

GOING EAST.

No. 48, Chicago Express	12:25 a. m
" 46, Through Express	1:35 a. m
" 42, Chicago Mail	12:5 p. m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 47, St. Louis Express	3:45 p. m
" 45, St. Louis Mail	10:? a. m
" 41, Through Express	1:? p. m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 45, St. Louis Express	2:? p. m
" 43, Fast Line	3:30 a. m
" 41, Decatur and St. Louis Accom.	9:?? a. m
" 47, Fast Mail	2:?5 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 48, Chicago Express	12:15 a. m
" 44, Atlantic Express	11:55 a. m
" St. Louis and Decatur Accom.	9:?? a. m
" 42, Lightning Express	10:?0 p. m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:

Going West	3:?0 a. m
Arrive from West	10:?0 p. m

Champaign Division.

Arrive from East	10:?0 a. m
Leave for Champaign	4:?0 p. m

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GOING EAST.

Passenger	7:?0 a. m
Freight	11:?0 a. m

GOING WEST.

Passenger	7:?0 p. m
Freight	11:?0 a. m

C. L. HARBERT, Gen'l Supt.
W. S. NICHOLS, Ticket Agent.
C. L. HOVEY, Freight Agent.
Decatur, Ill., Jan. 1, '82.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Jan. 1, 1882

Until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger	8:?? a. m
Accommodation	5:?? p. m
Freight	1??? ? m

GOING SOUTH.

Accommodation	10:?? a. m
Passenger	5:?? p. m
Freight	1??? ? m

S. T. JEFFERY, Supt., Chicago.
J. F. TUCKER, Master Transportation, Chicago.
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LEAVE DECATUR GOING EAST.

Mail and Express No. 2	12:15 p. m
Night Express No. 4	11:00 p. m
Way Freight	6:00 a. m
Fixed and Stock Train No. 10	5:?? p. m

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Mail and Day Express No. 1	3:?0 p. m
Night Express No. 3	4:?0 a. m
Way Freight	7:?0 p. m
Through Freight and mixed train No. 9	9:15 a. m

H. S. MORSE, Superintendent.
G. T. SUTTER, Traffic Manager.
Dec. 6'81, April 17, 1881

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Sunday, Dec. 4th 1881, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHWEST.

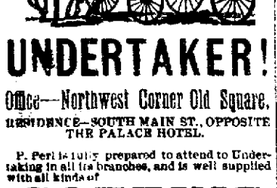
Mail and Express	11:?5 a. m.
Way Freight	6:?0 a. m.
Through Freight	8:?? p. m.

GOING NORTHWEST

Mail and Express	...:?1 p. m.
Way Freight	...:?5 a. m.
Through Freight	9:?0 p. m.

GEO. B. SPITLER, Agent.

P. PERL,



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MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
MACON COUNTY, } ss.
Macon County Circuit Court.

Margaret A. Watkins et al. vs. Sarah Watkins et al.—In Partition, No. 11,336.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said Court at the December Term, A. D. 1881, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on

Wednesday, the 15th day of February, A. D. 1882,

at the hour of two o'clock P. M. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

Thirty-six acres and seventy-hundredths of land, commencing twenty-seven (27) chains and forty-four (44) links west of the southeast corner of section seven (7), township seventeen (17) north, range two (2) east of the third principal meridian, thence west nine (9) chains and twenty (20) links to a stone, thence north forty (40) chains to a stone, thence east nine (9) chains and twenty (20) links, thence south forty (40) chains to the place of beginning; and also one other tract containing fifty-five acres and commencing twenty-two (22) chains and ninety-five (95) links east of the southwest corner of section seventeen (17) north, range seven (7) east of the third principal meridian, thence east thirteen (13) chains and seventy-five (75) links to a rock, thence north forty (40) chains to a rock, thence west thirteen (13) chains and seventy-five (75) links to a rock, thence south forty (40) chains to a rock and place of beginning, except thirty acres set off on the west side of said two above described tracts as the homestead and dower of Sarah Watkins, as shown by the plat and report of the commissioners in said cause; also the following tract, to-wit: The west half of the east half of the west half of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty-three (33), township fifteen (15) north, range two (2) east of the third principal meridian, containing five acres more or less.

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JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
H. PASCO, Solicitor for complainants.
Decatur, Ill., 3rd, 1882—w4w

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois.

In Bankruptcy, No. 1,110.

In the matter of Harvey Pasco, bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said court by Harvey Pasco, late of Macon, in the county of Macon, in said district, duly declared bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 20, 1867, and the amendments thereto, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and the 7th day of February, A. D. 1882, at eleven o'clock A. M., is assigned for the hearing of the same by the said court, at the United States Court Room in the city of Springfield, when and where all creditors of said Bankrupt, and all other persons in interest, may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

M. B. CONVERSE, Clerk.

H. CREA, Attorney for Petitioner.
Dated at Springfield, January 4th, 1882.
Jan. 5—d4w

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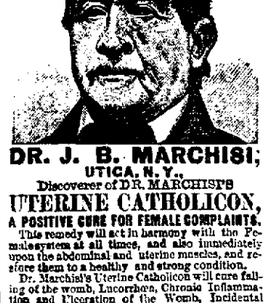

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Estate of WILLIAM CANTRELL, Deceased

PUBLIC notice is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of William Cantrell, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the second Monday of February, A. D. 1882, being the first day of said term.

DECATUR, Ill., Dec. 21, A. D. 1881.
dec16d6w MICHAEL ELSON, Executor.

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Jan. 31, '82—to March 1, '83.

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Williamsville (N.Y.) Journal.

An old lawyer, who says he plays "no kind of a musical instrument whatever," has told the reason why he never learned. When he was a young law student, he and his brother, who was studying medicine, both boarded at home, and at one time both conceived the idea that they had more than ordinary musical talents, and determined to cultivate them. "So John bought a flute," he said, "and I bought a fiddle, and turning one of the attics into a study, we practiced there half the night through.

"We didn't want anybody to know anything about it, especially my father, who had very strict notions as to the value of time and no taste for music. So, to make him think we were hard at work, I had quantities of law-books heaped up and John had a skull and lots of bones scattered about, to the horror of Betsey, the housekeeper, who slept in the attic.

"She was once our nurse, and was the only one who could hear us practicing, so we had no fears of her telling.

"One morning, a week or two after we had begun our musical night work, we were late at breakfast, and looking somewhat unrefreshed; father said:

"'You mustn't study too hard, boys.'

"'No, sir, not at all,' we both answered, smilingly.

"Just then Betsey appeared at the door, and looked mysteriously at mother.

"'Yes, what is it?' asked mother, surprised at the flurry Betsey seemed to be in.

"'Well, ma'am, I want to say that I'll have to have you, ma'am.'

"'Leave me! why, what do you mean, Betsey?'

"'Yes, ma'am, it's the boys at last, ma'am. It's going on twenty-five years that I've lived with you, and it's the boys at last. It's not Christian-like, ma'am; and I can't stand it noways.'

"'Why, Betsey, what have the boys been doing? Do tell us at once!'

"'It's Mister John, ma'am; and sometimes I think Mister Tom helps him. He's got some poor cretur up stairs, ma'm, and he torments him awful, all night sometimes, ma'am, when you are asleep. The poor cretur groans and screams and almost shrieks right out, and what it suffers I don't know, but it's dreadful.

"'I know they say doctors must do such things when they are a learning, but I can't stay where such things are going on. I never thought Mr. John was the one to do so, but he does, and if it's all the same to you, I'll go, ma'am.'

"Mother saw that there was some mystery about it, and telling Betsey she would talk to her again, sent her from the room, when my brother and I were called upon to explain.

"We never heard the last about that 'poor cretur' up stairs, but that was the last of my violin practice."

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Feb. 9, 1882 dawlw

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Jan. 12. d&wtf

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CHIPS FROM THE COUNTRY.

The License Question at Waarensburg—Notes From Niantic.

WARRENSBURG.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—Thinking perhaps a few squibs from our village would be interesting to the many readers of your paper, concluded to furnish you the following information. First, our village fathers concluded to grant license, should any person of sufficient intelligence and integrity desire to deal out to their fellowmen the intoxicating drug. This condension was claimed to be in accordance to the wish of a majority of voters of the village. This claim was immediately met by a petition, signed by about three-fourths of the voters, and by nearly all of the women of the village. Should the board of directors insist to grant this license, in the face of this petition, we fear their popularity at the next election will be on the decline.

The members of the church of God at their business meeting, Saturday night, voted to build a new church just directly east of the one they have used for a number of years, retaining the old house for lectures, prayer meetings, etc.; and the new rooms for preaching services. Samuel Ritchie, John McKline, E. B. Weakly, E. J. McMillen and Rev. I. S. Richmond, were elected as a soliciting and building committee. Clara M. Ritchie, J. McKline, and J. Munson board of trustees; we wish success, and we are pretty sure they are bound to succeed. Their meeting which has just closed, resulted in about thirty accessions to the church.

STOCK SHIPPING.

Samuel Ritchie, during the month of January, has shipped about twenty-four thousand dollars worth of live stock from this station.

THE BANNER SECTION.

Section 26, in this township seems to be the banner section, as far as live stock raising and marketing goes during the last four months.

The following parties, residents of said section, marketed hogs to the following amounts: John Childs, $3827.24; E. Major, $1,387.50; M. C. Coburn, $1,051.25; Jacob Major, $1,327.00; John Childs sheep, $440.00; cattle $60.00; Jacob Major, cattle and horses, $1608.70; sheep, $315.00; stock hogs, $454.50; in addition to this live stock, there has been thousands of bushels of corn and other grain raised and sold. This five stock was all bought and shipped by S. Ritchie of this village, except about $1000 worth, and some of Jacob Major's stock hogs, cattle, etc., that was sold at his sale. This simply shows what one section can produce if managed by judicious farmers, and how much this stock will realize said farmers, if handled by a judicious shipper. CITIZEN.

NIANTIC.

Great excitement in Niantic. First ground for coal shaft broken Monday with a force of ten men. The hole is six in the clear. The curbing is being superintended by the man that superintended the Decatur shaft. From 100 to 150 men and boys in constant attendance.

The wife of Benj. Bitts, an old citizen, died Monday.

Jesse Hedrick is very low with long fever.

Big excitement at Illiopolis Monday evening in consequence of a box car being set off for Streator, the grain man. The car being half full of straw, Streator sent a man to clean it out. The stench was so bad he could not stand it. Several went in and were driven out by the smell. They came to the conclusion that a man was in there dead with small pox. Streator telegraphed to Springfield to have the car taken away immediately or he would burn it; dont know the result.

TRUE BLUE.

RESCUED FROM DEATH.

The following statement of William J. Coughlin, of Somerville, Mass., is so remarkable that we bee to ask, as it the attention of our readers: He says: "In the fall of 1876 I was taken with a violent bleeding of the lungs followed by a severe cough. I soon began to lose my appetite and sleep. I was so weak at one time that I could not leave my bed. In the summer of 1877 I was admitted to the City Hospital. While there the doctors said I had a hole in my left lung as big as a hand. I also expended over a hundred dollars in doctors and medicines. I was so far gone that at one time a report went around that I was dead. I gave up hope, but a friend induced me to use DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS. I laughed at my friends, thinking that my case was incurable, but I got a bottle to satisfy them, which to my surprise and gratification, I commenced to feel better. My hope, once dead, began to revive, and to-day I feel in better spirits than I have for the last three years.

I write this hoping you will publish it, so that everyone afflicted with Diseased Lungs will be induced to take DR. WM. HALL'S BALSAM FOR THE LUNGS, and be convinced that CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED. I have taken two bottles and am positive I say that it has done more good than all the other medicines I have taken since my sickness. My cough has almost entirely disappeared and I shall soon be able to go to work. Sold by all druggists. 29d&wly-1

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